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Introduction

Think about the number of things you throw away or recycle every week – cardboard tubes, plastic containers, egg cartons, and more. Many of these materials can be reused for school craft projects. Teach your students the value and fun of reusing materials by creating new uses for recycled goods. Let a newspaper become a snowman, a milk jug become a new basket, a yogurt container become a doll. When you're making Wee Crafts, the possibilities are endless.

In this Wee Crafts guide, we provide some specific craft projects for you to create with your children. Brainstorm ideas together to come up with variations or completely new ideas – let your imagination run wild! As you work on a project, discuss the materials that are being used. What were toilet paper rolls or egg cartons used for before this project? How many different things can a paper towel tube be made into? Encourage children to use their imaginations and be creative.

